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HOUSE RESOLUTION 369  
By Hood

A RESOLUTION to recognize Betty Jones on the occasion of her retirement from the Murfreesboro City School System.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding citizens who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Betty Jones is one such estimable person, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Jones began her distinguished tenure with the Murfreesboro City School System in 1984 as a Teacher's Aide; she also worked as a Special Education Aide at Northfield before transferring to the newly constructed Cason Lane Academy in 1994; and

WHEREAS, Betty Jones is an extremely talented and compassionate person who has worked assiduously to motivate students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

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WHEREAS, Mrs. Jones truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel is highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; she represents all that is good and noble in education; and

WHEREAS, retirement will afford Betty the opportunity to spend more time with her family, and husband, Charlie Mac, their two children, and one grandchild; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Jones truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated professional who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized on the occasion of her retirement; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend Betty Jones for her exceptional service to the children of Murfreesboro, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.